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3 INJURED AS WABASH TRAIN JUMPS TRACK

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Rails Near Halls-
ville.

SIMILAR WRECK IN APRIL
Turntable Installed After Other
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SEVERELY INJURED.
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crushed internally.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.
William Marquette, fireman, 1214 East
Ash street, left arm and right ankle
crushed.

Fred Smith, Wabash fuel supervisor,
Moberly, left knee and left side bruised.

Three persons were injured, one se-
riously, when the engine and tender of
Wabash passenger train No. 32 jumped
the track two miles this side of Halls-
ville, at 10:15 o'clock this morning.

The three men who were hurt were
riding in the cab when the engine left
the track, taking two box cars with it.
The injured persons were rushed im-
mediately to the Boone County hospital
by an auto that was passing at the time
of the wreck.

When the train left Columbia this
morning at 9:50 o'clock the engine was
backing with the tender in front. Ac-
cording to Smith, who is fuel supervisor
of the Wabash, the train was going only
about 15 miles an hour at the time of
the accident.

Both Smith and Marquette left the
hospital after attention had been given
to their injuries. Smith planned to re-
turn to his home in Moberly this after-
noon.

Blackwell, late today, was reported as
resting well. No bones were broken. He
was severely scalded but physicians re-
ported his injuries as not critical.

Blackwell has been an employee of
the Wabash Railroad for more than five
years. Prior to his coming to Columbia
he worked in the Wabash yards at Mo-
berly.

TRACK TORN UP.

One hundred feet of track was torn
to pieces and fragments of the engine
and tender were scattered for some dis-
tance. The engine was split and turned
over on its side. A crew of workmen
were busy more than an hour getting
the train into shape to return to Col-
umbia. An eastbound train on the main
line was derailed from Centralia and
backed down to the scene of the wreck
to pick up St. Louis passengers.

Marquette, the fireman, was thrown
into such a position that he had to be
cut from the cab. Three men toiled for
fifteen minutes before the imprisoned
workman could be released from his cab.

The wreck today was similar to one
which occurred on the same line last
April 29 with a toll of one immediate
death and two men so severely injured
that they later died. The engine of the
incoming 11:25 Wabash left the track
and tumbled over near Browns at 11:08,
crushing to death L. M. Wainwright, fire-
man. C. E. Fox, engineer, and Whittle
Martin, fireman on the Katy line who
was riding in the cab, were so seriously
burned that they later died.

In both today's wreck and the April
wreck the locomotives were running
backward, as there are no facilities for
turning them around on the Columbia
branch. It was said that running back-
ward caused the tender to sway and in-
creased the danger of derailment.

TURNABLE ALMOST READY

After the April wreck Prosecuting At-
torney Ruby Hulen filed a request with
the Public Utilities Commission that
the Wabash be compelled to install a
turntable at Columbia. Wabash officials,
soon afterward began construction of the
desired turntable, explaining that they
had been planning its installation even
before the wreck. It is not quite com-
plete yet, but probably will be put into
use in a few days.

Train No. 32 leaving Columbia at 9:50
o'clock was heavily loaded this morning.
A few of the passengers were thrown
from their seats but none was injured.
Most of the passengers were taken to
Centralia by the main-line train, and others
returned to Columbia on a train
which left here about 11 o'clock.

A wrecking crew was sent out from
Centralia about an hour after this morn-
ing's disaster. It is not known, however,
when the line will be put into shape and
the wreckage removed. However, it is
thought at the station here that trains
might run to the scene of the wreck and
the passengers be transferred to another
train backing down from Centralia.

GOLDEN FLEECE MEETS TOMORROW

The Order of the Golden Fleece will
meet at 7:15 o'clock tomorrow evening
in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. Dean
J. H. Goursault will speak. Piano and
violin solos, a vocal solo and readings
will complete the program. This meeting
will be called promptly at the hour stated
in order that it can be dismissed in time
for the St. Louis Symphony orchestra
program.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity. Somewhat
unsettled and windy this afternoon and
early night, followed by fair; somewhat
colder tonight. Tuesday fair, moderate
cold. Lowest temperature tonight about
32.

For Missouri: Cloudy tonight, rain or
snow extreme northeast, and somewhat
colder west portion. Tuesday fair.

Shippers' forecast: Within a radius of
200 miles of Columbia the lowest tempera-
ture during the next 36 hours will be
about freezing west and north, a few de-
grees above east and south.

Weather conditions: A low pressure
system is giving unsettled and somewhat
stormy weather in the upper Mississippi
Valley and in most of the lake states. It
is snowing in Minnesota and Wisconsin
and down the Lakes to western New
York.

Data for Columbia: Highest tempera-
ture yesterday, 47; lowest last night, 39;
precipitation, 0.00. One year ago, high-
est, 47; lowest, 31; precipitation, 0.01.

KLAN LEADER DEFIES HYLAN

Intends to Make New York the
Greatest Stronghold of
Organization.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The Rev. Oc-
tar Haywood of New York today defied
Mayor Hylan and announced that the
Klan will "make New York its greatest
stronghold." The organizer answered the
mayor's order to the police to treat the
Klan the same as "disorderly houses and
gangs," with the announcement that
Edward Smith, Buffalo, "great dragon"
for the state, would come here to help
in forming chapters.

Simultaneously, the Klan became the
storm center in New York. While rab-
bists and officials denounced it, some min-
isters defended the organization from
the pulpit in their Sunday sermons.

Rabbi Wise, noted speaker and lead-
er, condemned the order as "a phase of
the world-wide anti-semitic movement."

EIGHT DIE IN R. R. ACCIDENT

Four Injured When Wabash
Train Leaves Track Near
Millard, Mo.

By United Press.

MILLARD, Mo., Nov. 27.—Four pas-
sengers were slightly injured when three
coaches of the Wabash No. 20 left the
train track near here today.

The train was on the way from St.
Paul and was due in St. Louis at 2:45
p. m. The injured were rushed to St.
Louis on a relief train.

Millard is about ten miles south of
Kirksville.

By United Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 27.—Three
persons were killed and three severely in-
jured when an Illinois Central work en-
gine struck a handcar near here today.

The men were section hands on their
way to work and were caught on a tree-
tie. The three injured men jumped forty
feet to the ground.

The dead are: Victor Vaughan, Hosea
Emmer and Borman Daiton, all of Great
Springs.

By United Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 27.—Four per-
sons were instantly killed and the fifth
died in a hospital later when the Prairie
State Limited on the Chicago & Alton
Railroad struck an auto at a grade cross-
ing shortly after noon today.

In the auto were Mr. and Mrs. Percy
Wilcox and their two children, of
Woodside, seven miles south of here.
They were killed. The flying debris struck
a child on a sidewalk and inflicted in-
juries that resulted in the child's death
a few minutes later.

TO ATTEND LODGE CEREMONY

Columbia Odd Fellows Will Witness
Ceremonies at Harrisburg.

About fifty members of Columbia
Lodge No. 267, Odd Fellows, will leave
tomorrow afternoon for Harrisburg to at-
tend the dedication exercises of the new
Odd Fellows' Building there, which was
recently completed. The building re-
places one which burned last summer. A
degree team from the local lodge will
confer the first degree work upon a class
of initiates. A number of state officers
of the Odd Fellows will assist in the
ceremonies.

STAR OUTFIELDER IS DEAD

McHenry, of St. Louis Cardinals,
Succumbs After Operation.

By United Press.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 27.—Outfielder Aus-
tin McHenry, of the St. Louis Cardinals
died this morning at his home, follow-
ing an operation for a brain tumor.

J. Redmon, Negro, Asks Divorce.

Petition for divorce from his wife,
Ioma Redmon, was filed with the circuit
clerk this morning by Jackson Redmon,
negro, of Columbia. He sates in his
petition that they were married November
1, 1914, and lived together until May,
1920, when his wife left him.

CO-OP STORE ROBBED LATE ON SATURDAY

Burglars Pry Open Windows
and Take Jewelry and
Money Estimated
About \$600.

BLOODHOUNDS ON TRAIL

No Burglary Insurance Carried
on Merchandise — First
Robbery in Six-
teen Years.

Robbers pried open the two south
windows and gained entrance to the
University Co-operative Store late Sat-
urday night, taking a small quantity of
school jewelry, fountain pens and money.
Although the store management would
not give the exact amount, it is reported
to be between \$500 and \$600. It is be-
lieved that the store was entered between
8 and 12 o'clock Saturday night.

Two students who sleep in the store
left about 8 o'clock Saturday night to
attend a student dance. They did not
return until after 12 o'clock but did not
observe the loss at that time. About 9
o'clock yesterday morning, one of the
men came to the front of the store and
noticed that the cash register had been
tampered with. He immediately notified
the manager, C. E. Barkshire, who came
to the store and reported the loss to the
police.

A call was made to Moberly for blood-
hounds which were brought here about
noon yesterday, and were immediately
taken to the scene of the robbery. They
picked up a trail which led through the
northwest corner of the campus past the
Medical Building, down Sixth street to
Broadway. From there the dogs went
west on Broadway to Second street and
north through the negro district. They
turned east and then north to Sexton
road. They then turned back to town
toward Eighth street and up Broadway.

The trail then led to Willis avenue and
south to Bass avenue, where it turned
west to College. The hounds followed the
trail south on College to a fraternity
house, which they entered, then to Hud-
son, then to Hill street, where they went
north to Conley. They came west on
Conley until they reached the Palms.
Entering the Palms, they at once went
to a booth and followed the trail out
on the street again. While near the
Palms, the dogs went to a nearby room-
ing house where they went upstairs and
came down on the street again.

This is the first time in sixteen years
that the Co-operative Store has been
robbed of any considerable amount of
merchandise. In 1906 the store was
robbed of about \$1,700 of merchandise
and money but the intruders together
with the merchandise were captured
within two or three days. No burglary
insurance is carried on the stock of
merchandise.

\$40,000 IS GIVEN

TO METHODISTS

Money From Missions Board to
Be Used in Paying for
Building Sites.

A draft for \$40,000 has been sent by
the Board of Southern Methodist Mis-
sions and is now on deposit in a Colum-
bia bank, according to J. W. Schwabe,
field manager for the Methodist cam-
paign, in a statement this morning.

This money is to help pay for the site
for the new church and the site for the
women's residence hall. The south side
of the block between Ninth and Tenth
on Locust has been chosen for the church
site and will cost \$37,500. The prop-
erty on University avenue between
Ninth street and the Dumas Apartments
is to be the site for the women's resi-
dence hall. The cost of this piece of
property will be near \$20,000.

It is the plan of the campaign com-
mittee to hold these two pieces of prop-
erty free and unencumbered. Already
\$50,000 has been raised at the Broadway
Methodist church and \$25,000 is ex-
pected from the sale of the church prop-
erty. There remains only \$25,000 to be
raised to reach the Columbia quota of
\$100,000.

The two general boards have agreed to
give \$100,000. The Women's Missionary
Council will also give \$100,000 which is
practically in hand.

J. P. Jamieson of St. Louis is the archi-
tect of the women's residence hall and
is now drawing plans for the building,
which will be started in the spring and
is expected to be finished for the next
school year.

Mr. Schwabe believes it will not be
difficult to complete the \$100,000 quota
for Columbia and Boone County. He
has been granted a leave, by the joint
committees of three Missouri confer-
ences, to finish this campaign.

For every dollar subscribed by the
people of this community three dollars
is to come from the outside.

3-Weeks-Old Stewart Baby Dies.

The three-week-old baby of John W.
Stewart died this afternoon at the home
of his parents, 1515 Richardson avenue.

WABASH ADDS EXTRA TRAIN

New Schedule Eliminates Hour
Wait in Centralia.

The Wabash railroad has added an
extra train, Number 68, with a new crew
to run on the branch line from Colum-
bia to Centralia and back again. It will
leave Columbia at 2:50 in the afternoon,
and return at 7:10 in the evening.

Number 35 which leaves Columbia at
4:20 will return at 6:15 instead of 7:15.
From now on number 35 will leave Colum-
bia upon the arrival of the St. Louis
train which gets into Centralia at 5:15
p. m. Number 68, the new train, will
wait for the Kansas City passengers. For
this arrangement passengers on the 5:15
St. Louis train will not have to wait in
Centralia till the 6:15 Kansas City train
comes in.

Other trains on the branch line affect-
ed by the new schedule are numbers 32
and 34. Number 32 will leave Columbia
at 9:45 a. m. instead of 9:50 a. m. and
will return to Columbia at 12:15 p. m.
Number 34 will leave Columbia at 11:00
a. m. instead of 10:50 a. m.

This new schedule went into effect yes-
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Suggested That Contributions in
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Short Session to Be Held at Tavern
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The semiannual meeting of the Alumni
Association of the University of Missouri
will be held at 9 o'clock Thursday morn-
ing on the mezzanine floor of the Daniel
Boone Tavern.

Frank B. Rollins, president of the
alumni, has completed arrangements for
this meeting and is anxious that all the
members should attend. The alumni
banquet which was to have been held
on Wednesday evening has been called
off, and this meeting will be the only op-
portunity for the alumni to get together
and transact necessary business.

TWO CASES OF DIPHTHERIA